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Filed: August 29, 2001
For: 57242, A NOVEL HUMAN G PROTEIN-COUPLED RECEPTOR FAMILY MEMBER
AND USES THEREFOR

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above referenced application, please cancel claims 24-27, 29-31, 34-46, 48-51, 53-71, 73-75, and 76-104.

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment cancels originally filed claims 24-27, 29-31, 34-46, 48-51, 53-71, 73-75, and 76-104. Claims have been canceled solely for the purpose of reduction of filing fees. No new matter is entered by virtue of the amendments. Entry of the amendments made herein is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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